### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

## DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

### NOTICE OF FILING

#### DOCKET NO. 2007-36-E

# APPLICATION OF PROGRESS ENERGY CAROLINAS, INC. AND LYNCHES RIVER ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. TO ESTABLISH ELECTRIC SERVICE RIGHTS

Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-27-650 and 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-830, 103-831, and 103-834 of the Rules and Regulations of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission"), Carolina Power and Light Company d/b/a Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc. ("PEC") and Lynches River Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Lynches River") have applied to the Commission for approval of a territorial agreement establishing the respective service rights of PEC and Lynches River in Chesterfield County, South Carolina.

In their Application, both PEC and Lynches River have been granted assigned territories by the Commission to provide service in Chesterfield County, South Carolina. The Application reveals that a certain portion of the territory assigned to PEC in Chesterfield County is completely surrounded by territory assigned to Lynches River. The northern boundary of the territory in question is the center line of Lenson Mangum Road and is approximately 2380 feet long. The eastern boundary is the existing territorial line between PEC and Lynches River and is approximately 9500 feet long. The western boundary is the existing territorial line between PEC and Lynches River and is approximately 10,030 feet long. The southern boundary is parallel to and 600 feet north of the center line of Will Evans Road and is approximately 4225 feet long. According to the Application, PEC has no existing customers in this area. In order to provide service to this area as economically and efficiently as possible and minimize the duplication of facilities installed to serve new premises in this area, Lynches River and PEC have determined and agreed that it would be prudent for this area to be re-assigned to Lynches River. PEC and Lynches River believe reassignment of this area to Lynches River is both the most efficient and practical manner for providing service to new premises and is in the public interest.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, 101 Executive Center Drive, Synergy Business Park, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's website at <a href="https://www.psc.sc.gov">www.psc.sc.gov</a> and is available from Len S. Anthony, Deputy General Counsel, P.O. Box 1551, Raleigh, North Carolina 27602 and J. David Black, Nexsen Pruet, LLC, 1441 Main Street., Suite 1500, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Petition. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at a hearing concerning these matters should notify, in writing, the Docketing Department at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff, Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, Len S. Anthony, Deputy General Counsel, P.O. Box 1551, Raleigh, North Carolina 27602 and J. David Black, Nexsen Pruet, LLC, 1441 Main Street., Suite 1500, Columbia, South Carolina 29201 on or before March 1, 2007. Please refer to Docket No. 2007-36-E.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a Party of Record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, on or before **March 1, 2007,** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2007-36-E.* 

Any person, who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below on or before **March 1, 2007.** *Please refer to Docket No. 2007-36-E.* 

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:** Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission in Columbia at 803-896-5100.

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